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**Re: Hess Dental Labs., et. al. v. Dentsply  
Int'l, Inc. et.al., C.A. No. 99-255 (SLR)**

Dear Chief Judge Robinson:

Exhibit F to Plaintiffs' Reply Brief in Support of Their Motion for Summary Judgment and Injunctive Relief, D.I. 267, is a copy of the opening appellate brief filed by the United States Department of Justice, in *United States v. Dentsply Int'l, Inc.*, 3d Cir., 03-4097, dated May 14, 2004. When the brief was filed with the Third Circuit, the entire brief was filed under seal without any indication regarding which portions of the brief are considered confidential. Therefore, for purposes of filing the appellate brief as an exhibit herein, Plaintiffs are unable to file a redacted version of Exhibit F. References in Plaintiffs' Reply Brief to this exhibit refer only to public information included in the exhibit.

Should Your Honor have any questions, I am available at the Court's convenience.

Respectfully,



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